



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Takashi WATANABE et al.**

Art Unit: **2818**

Application Number: **10/823,729**

Examiner: **David Vu**

Filed: **April 14, 2004**

Confirmation Number: **5344**

For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE FABRICATION METHOD**

Attorney Docket Number: **042341**

Customer Number: **38834**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 27, 2008

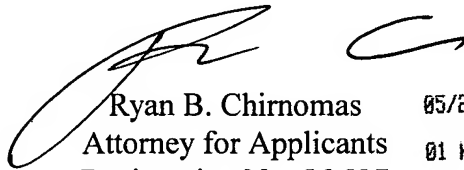
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 25, 2008 for one month from April 25, 2008 to May 25, 2008 (Sunday - May 26, 2008 Memorial Day).

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 for the cost of the extension of time. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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